and sale, be divided, one half to the sheriff or constable making the

seizure, and the other half to the informer.  $^{10.8}_{1800, c}$   $^{21}_{21, 1810, c}$   $^{1800, c}_{21, 1810, c}$   $^{1800, c}_{2$ posed.

52. If any offence under this article is committed in a river di- Id s 34 viding two counties, then the justice or court of either county shall 1842, c 67 have jurisdiction, or if it is committed in the waters of the Chesa- waters defined peake bay, then the justices or courts of any counties bordering on that part of the bay shall have jurisdiction.

53. If any person is arrested for any offence under this article, Id 8 35 and the fine is more than one hundred dollars, then the justice before 1845, c 148, s 3 whom such person is brought shall commit such person, unless he commitment gives adequate bail to appear and answer such offence at the next Circuit Court for the county.

## PATAPSCO RIVER.

54. It shall not be lawful for any person or persons, to take, 1874, c 79, s 1 capture, or destroy fish, by seine or seines, drag-net or drag-nets, tured by hook set-net or set-nets, dip-net or dip-nets, stir-net or stir-nets, fish-baskets above tideor fish-pots, eels, weirs, brush, or fascine nets, or any means or contrivances whatever of the nature of a seine, which are known to destroy or capture fish, or to destroy or capture them by shooting or striking through the ice, or otherwise than by hook and line, commonly known as angling, in the Patapsco river above tide-water

55. The owner or owners of all dams, erected now or hereafter, Id s 2 on said river, shall and are hereby required to make or cause to be to keep fishmade, and keep in repair, proper fish-ladders, and have them placed on said dam, so as to afford to the fish, in said river, free course up and down said river.

56. If the owner or owners of the aforesaid dams fail to comply Id s 3 with the provisions of the preceding section, within sixty days from failure the passage and approval of this act, they or either of them shall be liable, upon conviction thereof, by summary process before any justice of the peace of this State, in the county nearest or adjacent to where the dam or dams are situated, to a penalty of not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars, five dollars to the informer and the balance to the board of county commissioners of the counties adjacent to said dam or dams, for school purposes.

57. Any person or persons offending against the provisions of Id s 4 the first section of this act shall be liable, upon conviction thereof, violating first by summary process before any justice of the peace of this State, in and for the county where the act is committed, to a penalty of not less than ten nor more than thirty dollars, one-third to the informer, one-third to the constable making the arrest, and the balance to the treasurer of the board of county school commissioners, for school purposes, provided, that any person or persons so offend. ing, on conviction thereof, as aforesaid, who shall refuse or fail to